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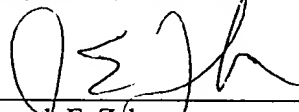
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. Request for Continued Examination with a one-month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.114;
2. A check in the amount of \$425.00;
3. Transmittal of Information Disclosure Statement under 1.97(b)4; and
4. Submission and Amendment "C".

It is believed that the amount above is correct. However, if this amount is incorrect, you are hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 18-1829. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Please file said RCE.

Respectfully submitted,



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